

# 2014 TUCSON METROPOLITAN AREA

Important Emissions Testing Information

Most 2010 and newer model year vehicles do not require testing.

Vehicles newer than 1966, but older than 2010, must be tested and must pass the emissions test in order to be registered in the State of Arizona.

Pima County inspections, except for On-Board Diagnostic (OBD) tests, are not valid for registration in Maricopa County.

Emission testing is required for vehicles registered within designated emission control areas. If your vehicle has not previously required an emission test, is temporarily out of Arizona, is registered outside the area or in a zip code crossing the area boundary ("Code 52"), please visit myAZcar.com to determine if testing is required using the Address Locator Tool. Also, applications for out-of-state, out-of-area, or military exemptions are available on the website. For help, call: 1-877-692-9227.

# **GETTING READY FOR YOUR TEST**

Everything You Need To Know Before You Go

If you participate in an insurance program that monitors your vehicle's operating data, be aware that you must remove the "Data Logger" from your vehicle's Data Link Connector; which is the vehicle's computer connector. (The connector is usually located under the dashboard). Emissions personnel will not remove or return data logger to the data link connector.

Warm up the vehicle's engine before you arrive.

An overheated engine may cause your vehicle to fail. To avoid overheating while waiting, keep the engine running and, while in neutral or park, occasionally rev the engine for 15 seconds at a time. Turn off your air conditioner. Please do not bring passengers or pets.

Most vehicles will be driven by station personnel. You will be required to move to a passenger seat or exit the vehicle.

Trailers need to be removed from vehicles prior to entering the station property.

Vehicles must be able to enter the station under their own power.

1996 and newer OBD tested vehicles will not pass the test if the check engine light is on. It is advisable to have a professional determine the reason for the light being illuminated. Repair costs prior to initial failure will not be considered when applying for a waiver.

# ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES

Your Vehicle May Be Exempt

2012 and newer vehicles may be exempt from the emissions testing requirement, a registration "in-lieu of testing" fee does apply. Call 1-877-692-9227 to determine if your vehicle is exempt.

## Exempt vehicles can be either:

- 1. Emissions tested and a test fee will be charged. Pay the registration renewal without in-lieu fee payable to Motor Vehicle Division. Note: An exempt vehicle which is tested and fails cannot be registered until repaired. OR
- 2. Not be emissions tested. Pay the registration renewal fee and the \$9 in-lieu fee payable to Motor Vehicle Division.



**1-877-myAZcar** 24 Hour Toll Free (1-877-692-9227) Se Habla Español or visit myAZcar.com for

- Webcam real time wait times for traffic at inspection stations
- Repair facility locator
- Maps to inspection stations
- Vehicle inspection history
- Vehicle Emissions Inspection area locator to determine if you live within a test area

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**Inspection Station Locations & Hours** 

#### • 1301 S. Stocker Dr.

Southwest of East 22nd St. and South Sarnoff Lane 1 is an OBD express lane for faster service.

#### • 6661 Renaissance Dr.

Southeast of West Valencia and Midvale Park This facility is the only testing station that can accommodate heavy duty trucks over 13 feet in height.

• 3931 N. Business Center Dr.

Northwest of West Prince Rd. and I-10

Lane 1 is an OBD express lane for faster service.



Please use West Ruthrauff Road to access this inspection station during the 2010-2014 Interstate 10 construction.



**Regular Station Hours:** 

- Monday-Friday: 8 a.m. 7 p.m.
- Saturday: 8 a.m. 5 p.m.
- Closed: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day

# **EMISSIONS TEST FEES**

With Many Payment Options

### \$12.25

Every other year for 1996 and newer model year vehicles with a Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) of 8,500 pounds or less.

Check your vehicle registration renewal form to determine if your vehicle needs to be tested this year or call 1-877-692-9227.

#### \$12.25

Every year for 1967 through 1995 model year vehicles with a GVWR of 8,500 pounds or less, and 1967 and newer model year diesel vehicles and heavy duty vehicles with a GVWR greater than 8,500 pounds.

Payment may be made by cash, check, credit or debit card. (Visa, Mastercard and AMEX)

Checks must have an imprinted name and physical in-state address (not P.O. box), made payable to: **Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ).** A valid driver's license or other official photo identification is required.

No refunds will be given if you take your car to be tested and you were not required to do so. Check the Emissions Testing Required section of your registration renewal notice to determine if your car needs to be tested this year or call 1-877-692-9227.

# **IF YOUR VEHICLE FAILS**

What Should You Do Next?

If your vehicle fails an initial test or a paid re-test, you have the right to a free re-test if you return within 60 days and provide the repair information requested on the back of the vehicle inspection report.

If your vehicle fails two tests, you may be eligible for a repair waiver for a fee of \$15. This repair waiver is valid for the current vehicle registration only. Once a waiver is granted, the vehicle is not eligible for future emissions testing waivers.

For more information on waiver requirements, go to vei.azdeq.gov/waivers or call (520)628-5651.

Before making necessary repairs, many vehicles have specific warranty provisions for emissions related repairs. Check your owner's manual, emissions control warranty information pamphlet, or your dealer for information on whether your vehicle has warranty coverage.



Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program 4040 E. 29th St., Tucson, AZ 85711 (520)628-5651 vei.azdeq.gov

Arizona Motor Vehicle Division Registration, Title Questions, Name or Address Changes (520)629-9808 On-line Registration at: servicearizona.com

Report Registration Violations at: 1-800-657-4322